

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**A B S T R A C T**

SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT – Establishment - Gazetted – Certain allegations against Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal ) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued.

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**SOCIAL WELFARE (SER.I.1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt No. 515**

**DATED: 26.07.2012**

**ORDER:**

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. Substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held are set out in the enclosed Statement of Articles of Charges (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of each Article of Charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure - III and IV).

3 Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad is directed to submit his written statement of defence, within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those Articles of Charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each Article of Charge.

5. Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 or the order/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him exparte.

6. Attention of Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri Ravi Madhava Rao is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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7. The receipt of the order may be acknowledged.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**J. RAYMOND PETER  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Ananthapur District and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad

(Through the Commissioner of Social Welfare, AP, Hyderabad)

**Copy to:**

The Commissioner of Social Welfare, AP, Hyderabad.

(with a request to serve the articles of charges on the Charged Officer and return the served copy to Government for record).

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**// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //**

**SECTION OFFICER**

## **ANNEXURE-I**

### **STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI RAVI MADHAVA RAO, FORMERLY DSWO, ANANTAPUR DISTRICT AND PRESENTLY WORKING AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR, O/o COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL WELFARE**

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#### **ARTICLE OF CHARGE No.1:**

Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, while working as DSWO, Anantapur District has never visited the College Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur District. The Joint Director (Vigilance) O/o CSW., A.P., Hyderabad who visited the College Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur on 03-11-2011 noticed the following irregularities in the maintenance of the Hostel.

- 1) The Stock Register, Cash Book, Voucher Register, Acquittances, Attender Register are not maintained for the last two years.
- 2) Smt. Dibballamma, Honorary Director of the Hostel is not aware that registers are to be maintained in the College Hostels and College students are maintained the Attendance Register, which is highly irregular.
- 3) The Honorary Director of the Hostel has been collecting money from the Hostel inmates to pay the scavenger and electricity charges.
- 4) Students are not being provided sufficient food & other facilities like buckets, bed sheets etc and the condition of the hostel is very bad.
- 5) Smt. Dibballamma, HWO, College, Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur were placed in incharge of SC Hostel and continued her as Honory Director even after her retirement showing special interest in her favour.

This shows that he has failed to supervise the above hostel and paved way for misappropriation of Govt. funds by Smt. Dibballamma HWO/ Honorary Director, College Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur.

#### **ARTICLE OF CHARGE No.2**

Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, while working as DSWO, Anantapur District has failed to take action on the rape case of Kum M. Manjula, boarder of the College Hostels No-II, Anantapur, which took place on 16-11-2009 and by colluding with the HWO of the above said Hostel, he has managed the Police authorities to change the records in the Police station, stating that Kum. Manjula was studying in "Laxmi Sowjanya Private Hostel" and finally the case registered under PCR & POA SC/ST Act was concluded by acquitting the culprit. Hence, he is the responsible for not getting real justice to Kum. M. Manjula a rape victim.

#### **ARTICLE OF CHARGE No.3**

Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, while working as DSWO, Anantapur District has circulated the file to the higher authorities without verifying the rule position and provided seats under BAS scheme in Oxford School to (16) students who have not attended the examination, which is highly irregular, instead of selecting the students from the waiting list of 2009-10. The income certificate produced by these students are fake, as their certificates are not signed by the Tahsildar, somebody signed "For Tahsildar" and the signatures on Caste Certificate and Residence Certificate issued on the same day are not tallying. This shows that he has failed to verify the fake income certificate produced by the students and allowed them to join Best Available School irregularly with a malafide intention and caused damage to a tune of Rs. 4.40 lakhs per annum to Government.

Thus Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Anantapur District and presently working as Deputy Director in the O/o the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad by above mentioned acts, failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of Government Servant, Slack Supervision and thereby violated Rule 3(1)(2) & (5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

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## **ANNEXURE-II**

### **STATEMENT OF IMPUTATION OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI RAVI MADHAVA RAO, FORMELY DSWO ANANTAPUR DISTRICT AND PRESENTLY WORKING AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR (SW), O/o COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL WELFARE, A.P., HYDERABAD**

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Sri A. Shankar, Chairman, District Congress Committee, SC Cell, Anantapur has submitted a representation dated: 11-10-2011 to the Government, raising certain allegations against Sri A.Veera Obulu, the then Deputy Director (SW), Anantapur District. Hence, while sending a copy of the representation Government, vide their Memo No. 14799/SW.Ser.I/2011-1, dated: 20-10-2011, have requested The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad to send a detailed remarks after conducting an enquiry.

Accordingly, the Joint Director (Vigilance), O/o The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, as per the instruction of the CSW., Hyderabad, as conducted enquiry and submitted his report to The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, and he recommended to take disciplinary action against the DSWO, Anantapur District for the following lapses.

- 1) He never visited the College Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur due to which several irregularities have been committed by Smt. Dibballamma, HWO, in the maintenance of College Girls Hostel-II, Anantapur.
- 2) The DSWO, Anantapur did not take action on rape case of SC College girl which took place on 16-11-2009 and by colluding with HWOs he has managed the police authorities to change the records in the Police Station, stating, that the rape victim belongs to a private hostel and not from Government College Hostel.

Further, the Joint Director (Vigilance), O/o CSW., Hyderabad has also conducted enquiry on the implementation of the scheme of Best Available Schools in Anantapur District and noticed that the Deputy Director (SW), Anantapur and his supporting staff have totally violated the instructions issued by the Government in G.O. Ms.No.101, SW(EDN.2) Dept., dated: 31-05-2008 and provided seats under BAS scheme in Oxford School to (16) students who have not attended the examination which is highly irregular and also without verifying the fake income certificates produced by them.

In view of the above, after examination of the enquiry report it is decided to frame articles of charges against Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly, DSWO, Anantapur and presently working as Deputy Director (SW), O/o CSW., A.P., Hyderabad for the allegations proved against him.

Thus Sri Ravi Madhava Rao, formerly DSWO, Anantapur District and presently working as Deputy Director in the O/o the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad by above mentioned acts, failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant, Slack Supervision and thereby violated Rule 3(1)(2) & (5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

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**ANNEXURE-III**

**LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI RAVI MADHAVA RAO, FORMELY DSWO ANANTAPUR DISTRICT AND PRESENTLY WORKING AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR (SW), O/o COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL WELFARE, A.P., HYDERABAD ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.**

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Detailed enquiry report on the allegations leveled against Sri A. Veera Obulu, Deputy Director (SW), Anantapur District submitted by Dr. R.V. Prasada Raju, Joint Director (Vigilance), O/o Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

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**ANNEXURE-IV**

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI RAVI MADHAVA RAO, FORMELY DSWO ANANTAPUR DISTRICT AND PRESENTLY WORKING AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR (SW), O/o COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL WELFARE, A.P., HYDERABAD ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.**

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